

Vocabulary

p 6	let me know	p 12	lay
p 7	was fed up with		he replied
p 8	to get away either...or	p 13	for long enough for now
p 9	how was it today? Angrily		you know what he's like

Prologue

1. In her letter to Huw, Megan wrote: 'We had so many plans when we were younger, didn't we?' (page 6) What do you think their plans were?

Chapter 1

1. Look at the words in italics. Who is *you*, *he* etc.?

Mr Thomas Huw Megan Gareth and Huw Huw and Megan Mr Jenkins

- a '... it's important that *you* do well at school.'
- b *He* had only been a miner for six weeks, but it felt like longer.
- c '... *we*'re lucky to have jobs.'
- d 'Where does *he* get the money from to go to the pub?'
- e *They* used to sit together at school ...
- f ... *he* was worried about their continuing friendship.

Chapter 2

1. Tick (✓) the events which you think will probably happen.

- a Huw will stop working at the coal mine.
- b Huw will go to London.
- c Huw will become an artist.
- d Megan and Huw will get married.
- e Megan will go to college.